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Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.607

Prior to examination of the present application, please enter the following amendment.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel ☒ claims 31 and 32 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claims 34 and 36 as follows:

(Amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising:

- B' 30 34.
- a. a therapeutically effective amount of a first compound, said first compound being droloxifene, raloxifene, tamoxifen or idoxifene; and
  - b. a therapeutically effective amount of a second compound, said second compound being sodium fluoride.

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